

31 March the polyreaction products can be obtained by the reaction of at least one dicarboxylic acid, polycarboxylic acid or their derivatives and mixtures thereof with at least one epoxidation product of a carboxylic acid ester or a mixture of these epoxidation products. *? 11*

18 18. (Twice Amended) The flat material according to claim 1, wherein the cover layer is transparent.

22 22. (Twice Amended) The flat material according to claim 1, further comprising at least one carrier layer and at least one previously defined cover layer, possibly one backing coating located under the carrier layer made of a chemically or mechanically foamed foam layer, and possibly a compact or base coating, which is positioned between the carrier layer and cover layer and/or between the carrier layer and backing coating.

23 23. (Twice Amended) The flat material according to claim 22, wherein a protective layer of unsaturated curable lacquer systems is located over the cover layer, whereby the polymers or copolymers for the lacquer systems are selected from the group consisting of polyacrylates, polymethacrylates, polyurethanes, and mixtures of these.

REMARKS

Within the present application, claims 1-23, 25 and 26 are pending.